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ANALYSIS OF LAUNCH COMPLEX A, TYURATAM MISSILE TEST CENTER ON MISSION 1020-1 REVEALS THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITY AT LAUNCH PAD A-1: A STRUCTURE APPROXIMATELY 60 FEET HIGH IS POSITIONED 130 TO 150 FEET TO THE REAR OF THE LAUNCH TOWER. THIS MAY BE THE PORTION OF THE GANTRY THAT IS MOVABLE AND RIDES ON THE [ ] WIDE TRACKS PREVIOUSLY IDENTIFIED AT THIS PAD. ALTHOUGH NO OBJECT IS IDENTIFIABLE AS A MISSILE WITHIN THE LAUNCH TOWER, THE SHADOW OF THE IMAGE INDICATES AN OVERALL HEIGHT OF APPROXIMATELY 90 FEET. A LINEAR OBJECT, APPROXIMATELY 80 FEET LONG IS POSITIONED ON THE CENTRAL RAIL SPUR BETWEEN THE LAUNCH TOWER AND THE MOVABLE STRUCTURE. THE QUALITY OF THE PHOTOGRAPHY PRECLUDES MORE EXACT DEFINITION AND MENSURATION OF THESE OBJECTS. THE TIME OF THE PHOTOGRAPHIC COVERAGE IS 0810Z ON 15 JUNE 1965.

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LAUNCH COMPLEX

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A IS THE ONLY AREA WHERE ACTIVITY WAS OBSERVED ON A PAD OTHER THAN THE GANTRY BEING ON THE PAD AT LAUNCH AREA G-5.

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